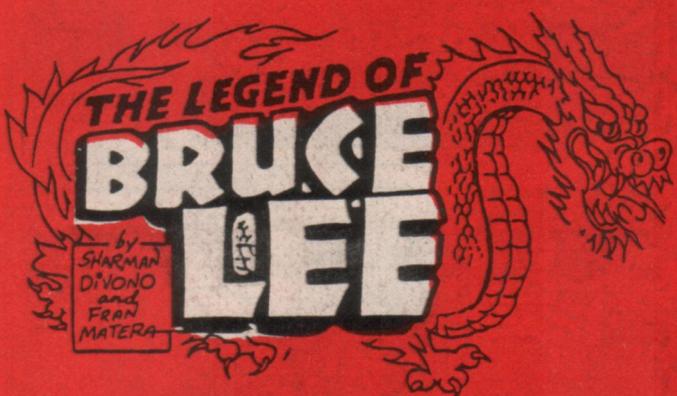
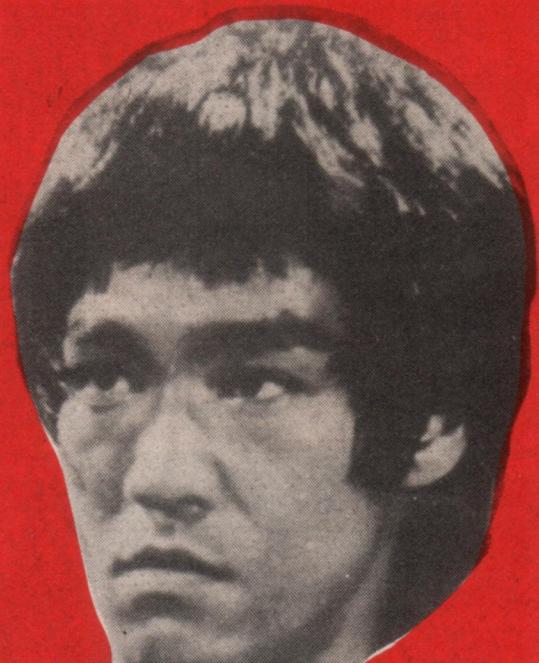


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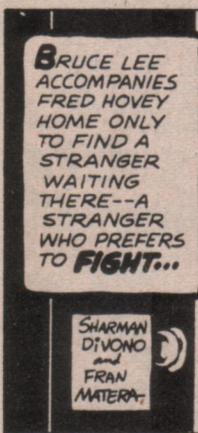
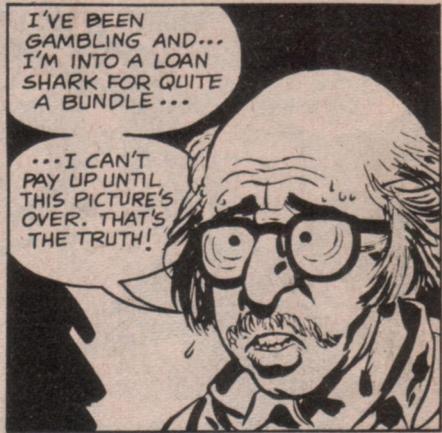
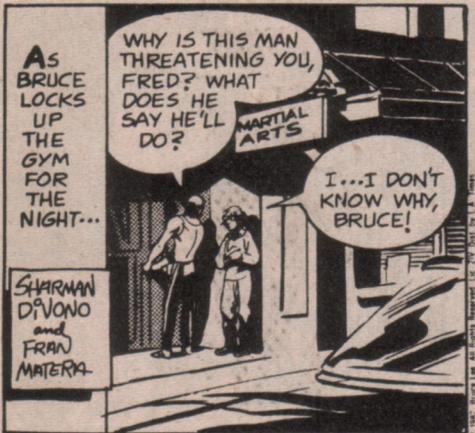
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SCREEN-WRITER FRED HOVEY FAILS TO SHOW UP ON THE SET OF "CLAW OF DEATH" THE MORNING AFTER THE FIGHT IN HIS LIVING ROOM...

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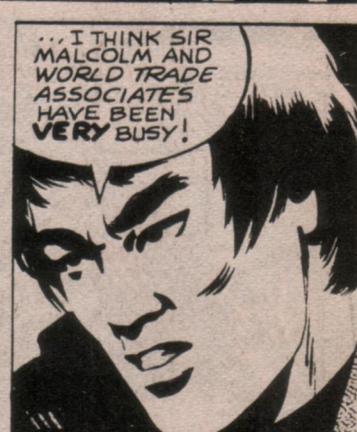
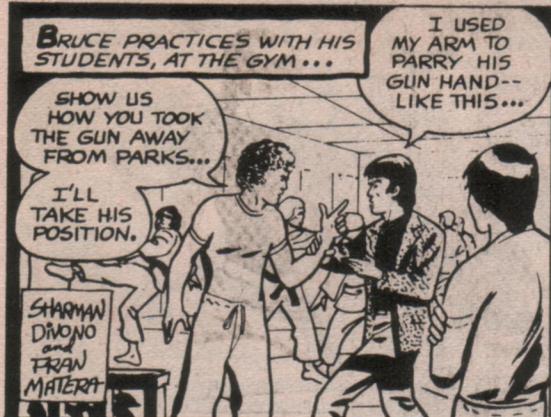
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THERE'S
A FIGHT
GOING
ON!

BRUCE
NEEDS
OUR
HELP!



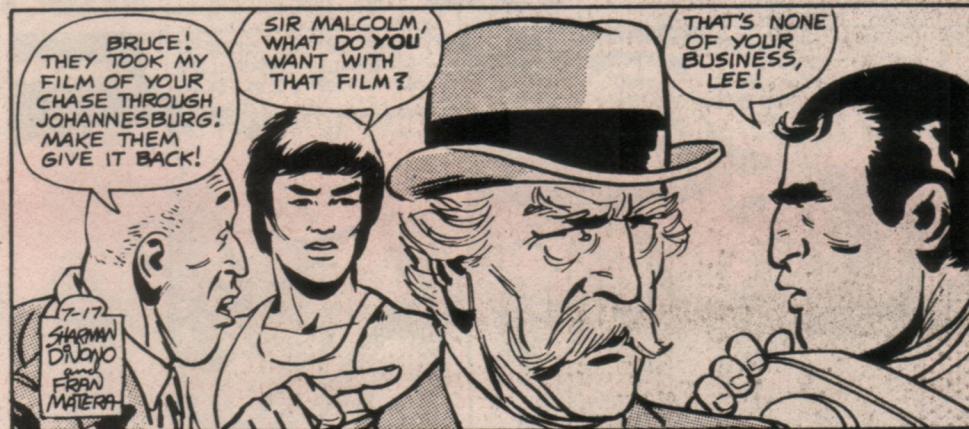
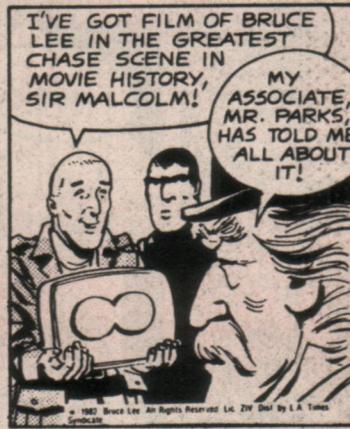
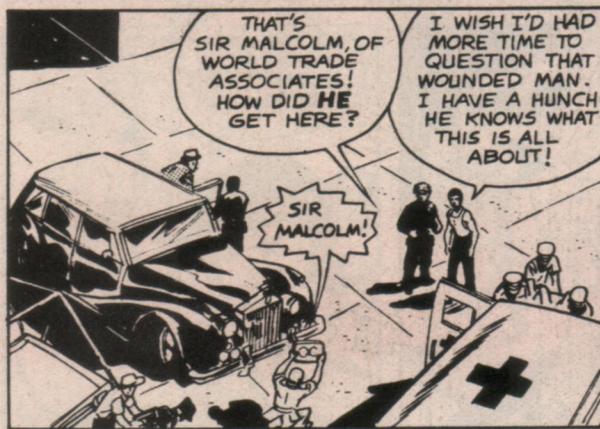
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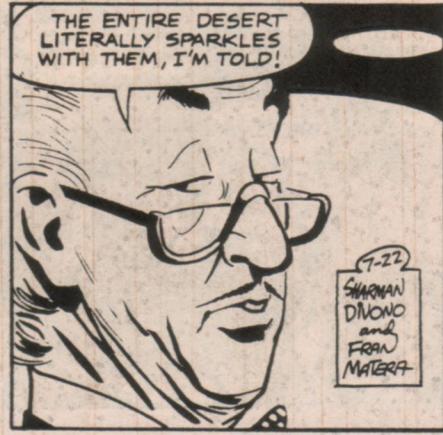
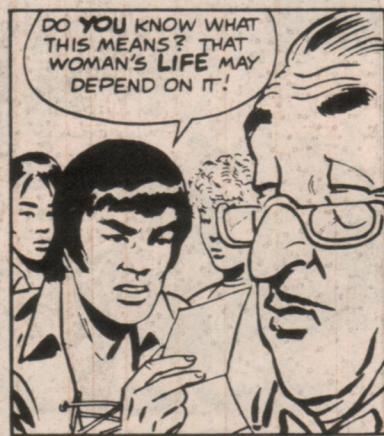
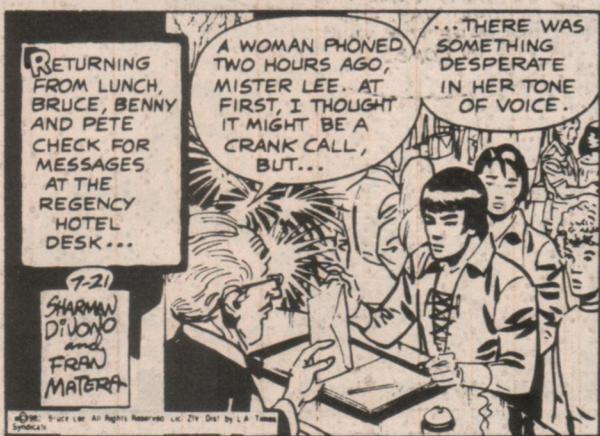
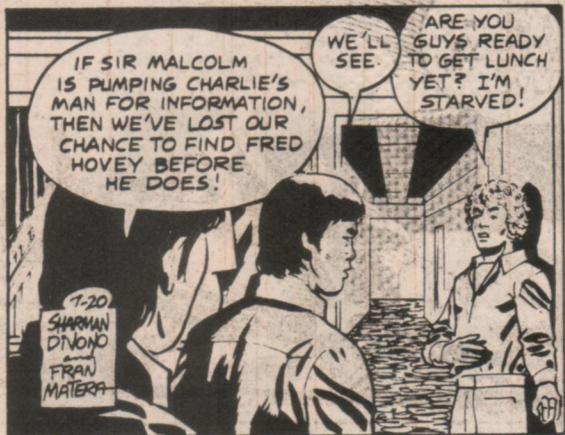
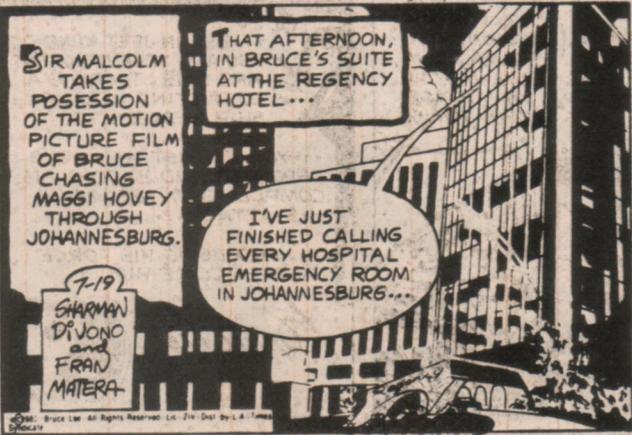
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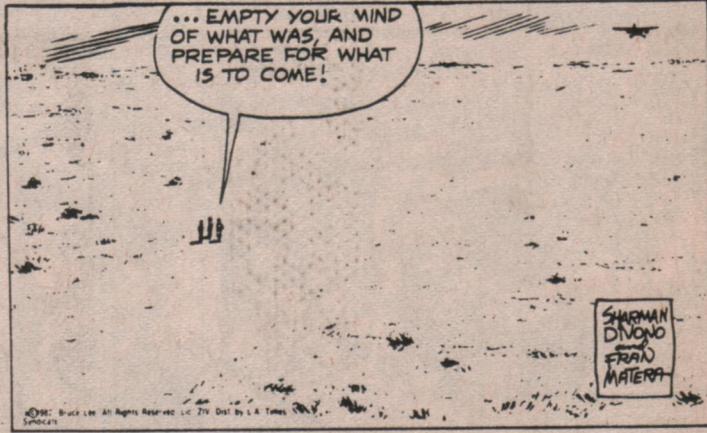
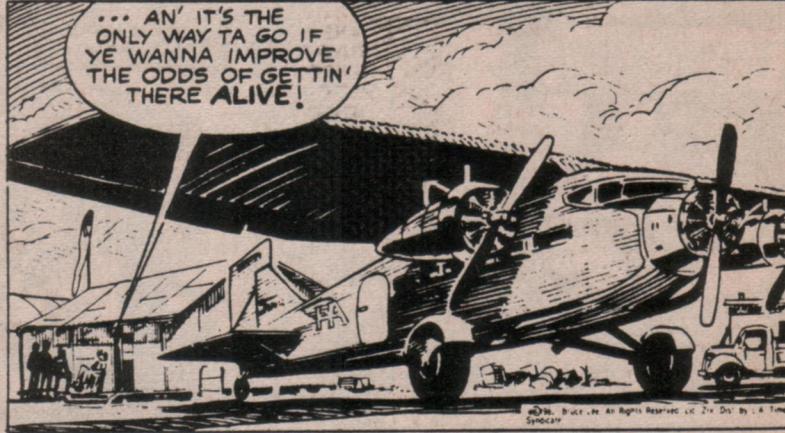
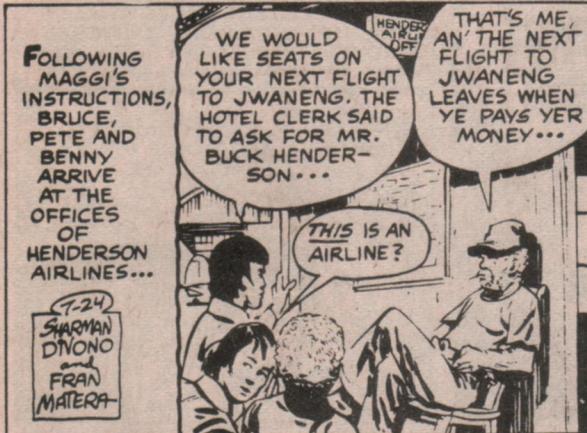
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IN Jwaneng, THE CONSOLIDATED DIAMOND MINES SURVEYOR TAKES BRUCE, PETE AND BENNY DIRECTLY TO THE LOCAL POLICE STATION-- LOCATED IN THE LOBBY OF THE TOWN'S ONLY HOTEL AND RESTAURANT...

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SHARON DIVONO
and
FRAN MATERA

MIKE, THERE'RE TOO MANY DRIFTERS AND BUMS COMING INTO Jwaneng...



... AND IT'S YOUR JOB TO PUT A STOP TO IT! THIS IS A COMPANY TOWN!

OKAY, STEVE,
THANKS FOR
BRINGING
THEM HERE!

BUT...

YOU'RE
BRUCE LEE!
I'VE SEEN ALL
YOUR MOVIES
FIVE TIMES!
WHAT ARE
YOU DOING
HERE?

I'M
INTERESTED
IN SOME OF
YOUR RECENT
DRIFTERS
AND BUMS!

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IN JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA ...

SHARON DIVONO
and
FRAN MATERA

I'VE LOOKED
AT THAT PIECE OF
MOVIE FILM WE
CONFISCATED,
SIR MALCOLM...

... I RECOGNIZED
SOME OF OUR
FRIEND'S FRIENDS.
THEY'RE MAJOR
CHARLES WRIGHTSON'S MEN!

HMM... WELL THEN, IF
CHARLIES INVESTED
MONEY AND TIME IN THIS,
WE'D BETTER ASSUME
THAT FRED HOVEY'S
NOTES WERE
CORRECT...

... THE
STAR
OF
KUSHE
DIAMOND
ACTUALLY
EXISTS!

MEANWHILE, 300 MILES AWAY, IN
Jwaneng, Botswana, BRUCE LEE
UNCOVERS THE SECRET BEHIND
FRED HOVEY'S DISAPPEARANCE...

NOT EVEN
CONSOLIDATED
DIAMOND MINES
KNOWS THE
TRUTH!

DO YOU
THINK THE
STAR OF KUSHE
DIAMOND EXISTS,
MIKE?

NO, AND IN A WAY,
CONSOLIDATED DIAMOND
MINES HOPES I'M RIGHT.
KALAHARI DIAMONDS
ARE MOSTLY
INDUSTRIAL
GRADE ...

... EVEN THE
RUMOR OF A
430 CARAT
"FANCY" LIKE
THE STAR
CAUSES THEM
AND ME
NOTHING BUT
TROUBLE...

... TAKE THIS RESTAURANT, FOR
EXAMPLE! CDM SHIPS IN FOOD
FOR ITS EMPLOYEES AND
ALL THESE DRIFTERS
EAT IT UP!

FRED
HOVEY!
B-BRUCE!

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BRUCE HAS
SPOTTED
FRED HOVEY
IN THE
HOTEL
RESTAURANT
...

FRED!
WHAT'S GOING
ON? WHERE'S
MAGGI?

H-HOW
DID YOU
F-F-FIND
ME?

YOU...

I DON'T
WANT ANY
TROUBLE
HERE!

THAT'S THE
AMERICAN ACTOR,
BRUCE LEE!
IF HE KNOWS
THOSE MEN, HE
MIGHT KNOW
ABOUT THE
STAR OF
KUSHE
DIAMOND!

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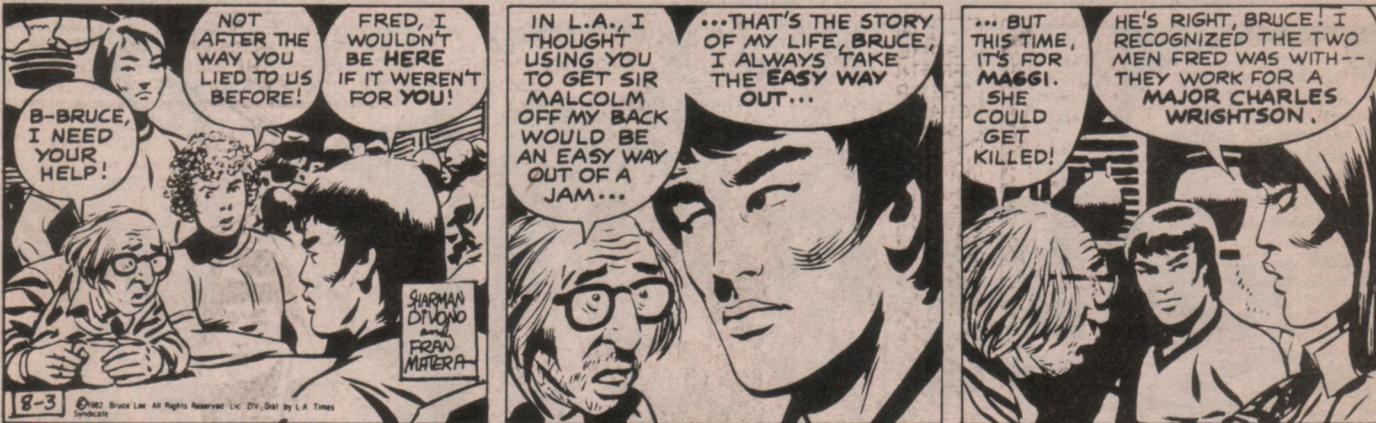
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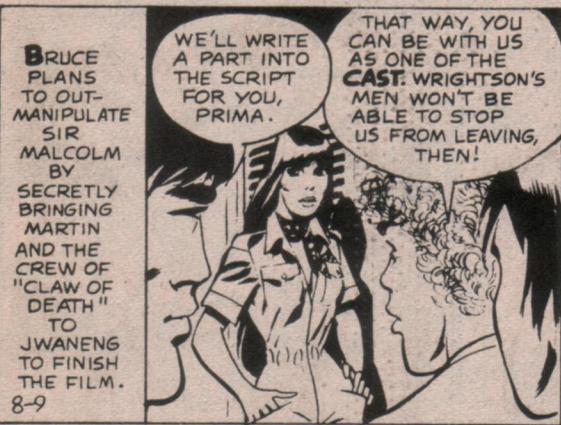
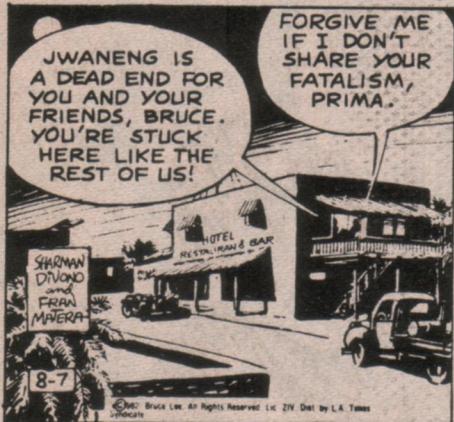
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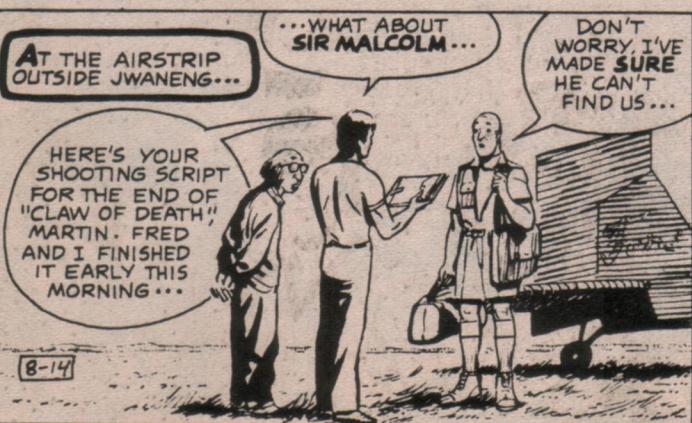
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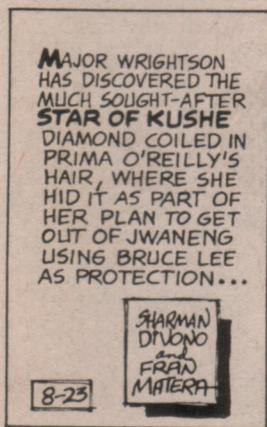
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AS MIKE MANGANA ARRIVES AT THE JUANENG MINE WITH HIS NEWLY-SWORN DEPUTIES ...

SHERMAN DIVONO
FRAN MATERA

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WRIGHTSON FOLLOWS PRIMA TO A SECTION OF THE MINE HOUSING THE DIAMOND SEPARATING EQUIPMENT, WHERE ...

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FRAN MATERA

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THE GAME'S UP, WRIGHTSON! ALL YOUR MEN HAVE BEEN ARRESTED!

BLAM!

YOU...

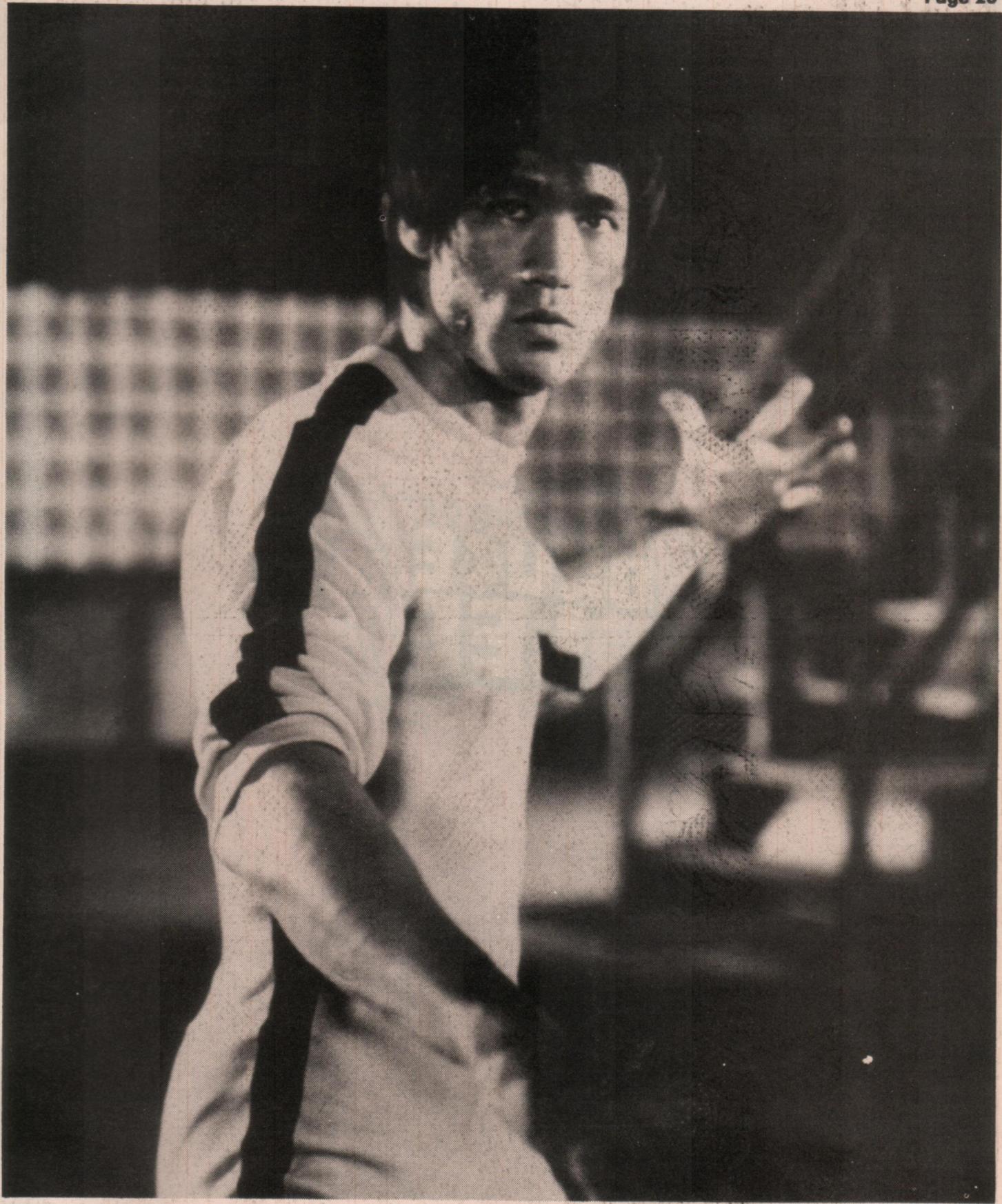


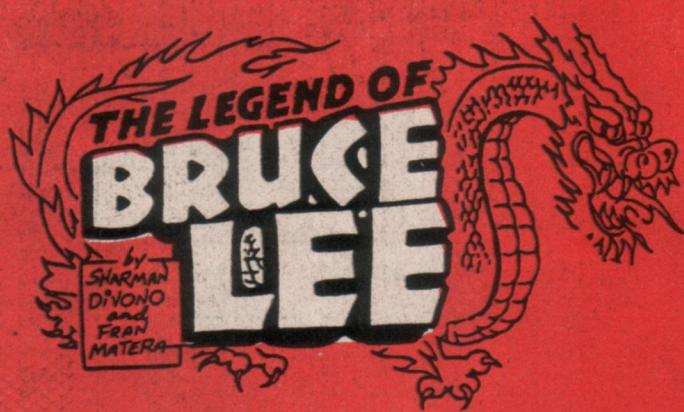
AS THE FIGHT IN THE MINING EQUIPMENT ROOM CONTINUES ...

SHERMAN DIVONO
FRAN MATERA

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The syndicate had originally approached veteran comic strip creators Milton Caniff and Noel Sickles about doing a Bruce Lee strip in 1978. The project never got off the ground, and five years later the syndicate tried again.

Intended for downscale and very young audiences, *The Legend of Bruce Lee* was intended to help boost newspaper circulation by attracting younger or less well-educated readers who don't normally read newspapers. It was written by Sharman DiVono (who herself had martial arts training), and illustrated by Fran Matera (with uncredited assists from Dick Kulpa).

The Legend of Bruce Lee only ran until late 1982 or early 1983.

The strips were collected by Nostalgia World in 1983 and published in two 24-page magazine-sized issues.